

IN THE COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF ALLEGHENY COUNTY,
PENNSYLVANIA
CRIMINAL DIVISION

COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

CC 201202821

V.

MATTHEW EBO

JUDGE LAZZARA

MOTION FOR
PRIVATE INVESTIGATOR

ON BEHALF OF:
Matthew Ebo

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AND NOW comes the Defendant, Matthew Ebo, by and through his attorney Diana Stavroulakis, Esquire, who presents the within Motion for Private Investigator, and in support thereof states the following:

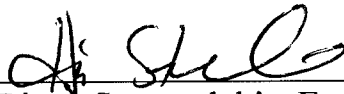
1. Matthew Ebo (Ebo), an incarcerated individual serving a sentence in the above-captioned case, has been granted *In Forma Pauperis* status. Counsel was appointed to represent Ebo with his pending Post-Conviction Relief Act (PCRA) Petition.
2. Based upon counsel's review of the record, discussions with her client, and preliminary discussions with Patrick K. Nightengale, Esquire, who is representing Ebo's co-defendant from trial, Thaddeus Crumbley (Crumbley), on a pending PCRA Petition, it has become apparent that

the services of a private investigator are necessary to assist in locating and interviewing Robert Raglin – a proposed eyewitness to the underlying homicide.

3. Counsel represents to this Honorable Court that if this request is granted, the funds will be used to pay for the services of Ron Getner, who has already been contacted to assist with locating and interviewing this witness in Crumbley's case. By using allotted funds for the same investigator, counsel submits that it would spare duplication of efforts and the information obtained would be jointly valuable to both Ebo and Crumbley on this specific issue within their respective PCRA Petitions.

WHEREFORE, counsel respectfully requests that this Honorable Court appoint Ron Getner of R.J. Getner and Associates to assist counsel in this matter.

Respectfully Submitted,



Diana Stavroulakis, Esq.

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ORDER OF COURT

AND NOW, to-wit, this _____ day of _____, 2018,
upon consideration of Defendant's Motion for Private Investigator, it is hereby
ORDERED, ADJUDGED and DECREED that said Motion is GRANTED. The
Court authorizes \$500.00 for the services of private investigator Ron Getner of R.J.
Getner and Associates.

BY THE COURT:

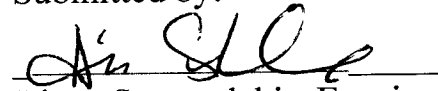
_____, J.

CERTIFICATE OF COMPLIANCE

I certify that this filing complies with the provisions of the *Public Access Policy of the Unified Judicial System of Pennsylvania: Case Records Of The Appellate And Trial Courts* that require filing confidential information and documents differently than non-confidential information and documents.

Date: June 29, 2018

Submitted by:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Diana Stavroulakis', is written over a horizontal line.

Diana Stavroulakis, Esquire

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, undersigned counsel, do hereby verify and state that a true and correct copy of the attached Motion has been served upon the following individuals, this 29th day of June 2018, as follows:

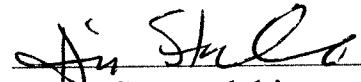
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Respectfully Submitted:


Diana Stavroulakis